

Kennedy made this statement on January 11, 1962. Now this goes back a long ways that he made this statement and the same things are true today that were true then. So, therefore, at this time unless Senator Pappas would like to amend his amendment to call for equal reduction, which he doesn't, I will be forced to oppose his amendment. Thank you, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: I think those are all...those have spoken who wish to speak to the Pappas amendment. Senator Pappas, would you like to close on your amendment to the amendment?

SENATOR PAPPAS: Yes, Mr. Speaker, colleagues, apparently there is quite a few people that are more versed with the King's English or language than I am in here and if they would like to draft an amendment that satisfies the wordage, how they would like to have it worded, I would offer them the opportunity to do this if my amendment is not adopted. I think, basically, everybody knows the intent of my amendment and I ask for the amendment to be adopted.

SPEAKER NICHOL: I have an announcement. Is Mrs. Peter Claussen in the balcony? Her daughter, Esther Claussen was injured in the Rotunda and if she is, she is requested to return to the lobby. Okay. We are on the Pappas amendment to the committee...to the amendment. All those in favor of adopting the Pappas amendment vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 13 ayes, 15 nays on adoption of Senator Pappas's amendment, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The amendment fails. May I introduce some guests in the north balcony, please, Senator Rupp's guests. There are 23 eighth graders from Lindsay Holy Family School in Lindsay, Nebraska and teacher. Would all of you please stand and be recognized. Thank you. Okay, we are back on the Wesely amendment. Senator Haberman, on the Wesely amendment.

SENATOR HABERMAN: Mr. President and members of the body, again I would like to read for you a quote. It says, "The principal goal of the United States has been the preservation of peace and freedom. No responsible American disputes this goal. But differences on how best to achieve it have badly divided our nation and led to disastrous